## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF MARYLAND (Northern Division)

DATASCI, LLC 18111 Prince Philip Drive Olney, MD 20810

Plaintiff,

Civil Action No. 8:08-cv-01583-MJG

VS.

COVANCE INC. 210 Carnegie Center Princeton, New Jersey 08540,

Defendant.

## MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL

Defendants respectfully move for leave to permit Michael W. Connelly to withdraw as counsel for Covance Inc. Substituted in his place are Covance's remaining attorneys of record at McDermott, Will & Emery LLP. Because the withdrawal of Mr. Connelly as counsel does not leave Defendants unrepresented, will not delay the trial of the case, is not otherwise inequitable, and will not prejudice Plaintiffs, Defendants respectfully request that their motion be granted.

Dated: May 14, 2010

Respectfully submitted,

By: /s/ Khashayar S. Shahida

Khashayar S. Shahida (Bar No. 17472) Joel Freed (admitted *pro hac vice*) MCDERMOTT, WILL & EMERY 600 Thirteenth Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20005-3096

Telephone: 202-756-8000 Facsimile: 202-756-8087

Attorneys for Defendant Covance Inc.

## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 14, 2010, a copy of the foregoing MOTION FOR LEAVE TO WITHDRAW AS COUNSEL was served upon the following counsel, via Federal Express:

## Counsel for Plaintiff Datasci, LLC

Gerard Patrick Martin, Esq. Rosenberg Martin Funk Greenberg LLP 25 S. Charles St., Ste.2115 Baltimore, MD 21201

Richard James Oparil, Esq. Patton Boggs LLP 2550 M St., N.W. Washington, D.C. 20037

Kevin Monroe Bell, Esq. Patton Boggs LLP 8484 Westpark Dr., Ninth Fl. McLean, VA 22102

By:

Christopher L. May

WDC99 1871361-2.046273.0173